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- Board of Podiatric Medicine
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These are recent disciplinary actions. The Decisions become operative on the Effective Date, except in situations where the licensee obtains a court ordered stay. This may occur after the publication of the disciplinary action in the Hot Sheet.

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DECISIONS

Physician & Surgeon

ADVANI, Madhu, M.D.

Bakersfield, CA

License number: A-43415

Stipulated decision effective: 4/30/2001

Public Reprimand.

AZAD, Armin, M.D.

Los Angeles, CA

License number: A-50503

Stipulated decision effective:8/31/2000

Public Reprimand issued: 4/17/2001

CURTIS, Brian Virgil, M.D.

San Bernardino, CA License number: G-63107

Stipulated decision effective: 4/30/2001

Public Letter of Reprimand.

GRAVICH, Anna, M.D.

Huntington Park, CA

License number: A-40805

Stipulated decision effective: 4/9/2001 Revoked, stayed, 4 years probation

with 30 days actual suspension.

GROVES, Sheridon Hale, M.D.

Thousand Oaks, CA

License number: G-68029

Stipulated decision effective: 4/5/2001

Revoked, stayed, 7 years probation.

HANSON, Ray William, M.D.

Merced, CA

License number: G-23309

Stipulated decision effective:7/10/2000

Public Letter of Reprimand

issued: 4/26/2001

HILLYARD, William T., M.D.

Riverside, CA

License number: A-28981 Decision effective: 4/11/2001 Revoked, stayed, 2 years probation.

HURD, Steven Morris, M.D.

South San Francisco, CA License number: G-41187 Decision effective: 4/20/2001

License revoked.

KAY, Barry Steven, M.D.

Kentfield, CA

License number: G-33425 Stipulated decision effective: 4/27/2001

Revoked, stayed, 3 years probation.

LEE, Catherine Chunghei, M.D.

Los Angeles, CA

License number: A-26578 Stipulated decision effective: 11/21/2000 Public Letter of Reprimand

issued: 4/24/2001

MATHEWS, Roger D., M.D.

Sacramento, CA

License number: A-20921

Stipulated decision effective: 4/16/2001 Revoked, stayed, 10 years probation.

MCKISSOCK, Paul K., M.D.

Indian Wells, CA

License number: GFE-4221

Stipulated decision effective: 4/12/2001

License suspended.

OI, Seijo, M.D.

Newport Beach, CA License number: G-42915 Decision effective: 4/23/2001 Revoked, stayed, 3 years probation.

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RAMSDEN, Charles H., M.D.

Toluca Lake, CA

License number: A-17273 Decision effective: 4/5/2001

License revoked.

SAMBO, Delia Manga, M.D.

Los Gatos, CA

License number: A-33067 Stipulated decision effective: 11/20/2001

Public Reprimand issued: 4/6/2001

SINGH, Swati, M.D.

San Francisco, CA License number: G-84822

Stipulated decision effective: 4/9/2001

Public Reprimand.

TSE, Yardy, M.D.

Encinitas, CA

License number: G-82156

Stipulated decision effective: 4/24/2001

Public Letter of Reprimand.

UPPAL, Satnam Singh, M.D.

Merced, CA

License number: A-31940

Stipulated decision effective: 4/11/2001

Revoked, stayed, 5 years probation.

WILLIS, La Vonne Theresa, M.D.

Hawaiian Gardens, CA License number: C-41645

Stipulated decision effective: 4/5/2001

Revoked, stayed, 6 years probation.

WINTERS, Kenneth B., M.D.

Long Beach, CA

License number: A-33139 Decision effective: 4/16/2001

License revoked.

Physical Therapy Assistant

AMOUDEH, Sophia F.

Loma Linda, CA

License number: AT-2214
Decision effective: 4/16/2001

License revoked.

EDWARDS, Virgil Stephen

Yuba City, CA

License number: AT-2824 Decision effective: 4/16/2001

License revoked.

STONE, Jeffrey K.

Oakland, CA

License number: AT-3312 Decision effective: 4/30/2001

License revoked.

Respiratory Care Practitioner

ARMOUR, Benjamin J.

Woodland Hills, CA

License number: RCP-17836

Stipulated decision effective: 4/28/2001 Revoked, stayed, 5 years probation.

CANTILADO, Steven P.

San Pedro, CA

License number: RCP-19202 Decision effective: 4/28/2001

License revoked.

CONTRERAS, Kelly Rae

Lodi, CA

License number: RCP-15339 Decision effective: 4/6/2001

License revoked.

FRANK, Renee

La Habra, CA

License number: RCP-15218 Decision effective: 4/1/2001

License revoked.

LEVERATTO, Sandro

Riverside, CA

License number: RCP-17974 Decision effective: 4/28/2001

License revoked.

MARTINEZ, Gabriel

Los Angeles, CA

License number: RCP-12413 Stipulated decision effective:4/14/2001 Revoked, stayed, 3 years probation.

NELSON-BALL, Leslie

Clovis, CA

License number: RCP-9860

Stipulated decision effective:4/13/2001 Revoked, stayed, 3 years probation.

PARKER, Elizabeth

Tucson, AZ

License number: RCP-11921 Decision effective: 4/9/2001

License revoked.

RAMIREZ, Maria Hallex

Lake Arrowhead, CA

License number: RCP-13656

Stipulated decision effective: 4/28/2001

License revoked.

SURRENDERS WHILE CHARGES PENDING

These license surrenders were accepted by the relevant agency in lieu of further proceedings.

Physician and Surgeon

HIRSCH, Michael Alan, M.D. Davis, CA

License number: C-34797 Surrender of License: 4/27/2001

LIN, Jang Bor, M.D.

Visalia, CA

License number: A-35329 Surrender of License: 4/6/2001

Respiratory Care Practitioner

ACOSTA, Fanny

Glendora, CA

License number: RCP-1423 Surrender of License: 4/14/2001

RECENT ACCUSATIONS FILED

Accusations are charges and allegations which still must undergo rigorous tests of proof at later administrative hearings.

Physician & Surgeon

BRADLEY, Scott Paul, M.D.

San Francisco, CA

License number: A-43585 Accusation filed: 4/13/2001

CHAO, Tsai Chung, M.D.

New York, NY

License number: A-51533 Accusation filed: 4/17/2001

HSU, David, M.D.

Monterey Park, CA License number: A-33204 Accusation filed: 4/23/2001

JAVANSHIR, Dariush, M.D.

Anaheim, CA

License number: A-42017 Accusation filed: 4/10/2001

JENSEN, Marvin Fletcher, M.D.

Long Beach, CA

License number: A-56355 Accusation filed: 4/10/2001

JOHNSON, Peter Bedros, M.D.

Erie, CO

License number: G-54830 Accusation filed: 4/23/2001

OWYANG, Douglas Hayden, M.D.

Fresno, CA

License number: A-26061 Accusation filed: 4/11/2001

PARK, Jong W., M.D.

Orange, CA

License number: A-44338 Accusation filed: 4/11/2001

ROSENTHAL, David K., M.D.

Sacramento, CA

License number: A-43832 Accusation filed: 4/13/2001

ROTH, Kenneth Edward, M.D.

Danville, CA

License number: G-21304 Accusation filed: 4/19/2001

SEKARAN, Murugayyan Raja, M.D.

Sacramento, CA

License number: A-26411 Accusation filed: 4/18/2001

SHAHEEN, Rubina, M.D.

Anaheim, CA

License number: A-56311 Accusation filed: 4/10/2001

Physical Therapist

STRATTON, Marit

Pomona, CA

License number: PT-7339 Accusation filed: 4/26/2001

Physical Therapy Assistant

GLAD, Scott E.

Moreno Valley, CA License number: AT-4172 Accusation filed: 3/27/2001

Respiratory Care Practitioner

ARMOR, Rosilyn R.

Compton, CA

License number: RCP-8341 Accusation filed: 4/19/2001

BATTLE, Franklin J.

San Diego, CA

License number: RCP-7951 Accusation filed: 4/19/2001

CAMPOS, Debra Jean

Temple City, CA

License number: RCP-15344 Accusation filed: 4/30/2001

CASE, Kathleen M.

Oceanside, CA

License number: RCP-11190 Accusation filed: 4/19/2001

GIRON, Carlos Roberto

Palmdale, CA

License number: RCP-16136 Accusation filed: 4/30/2001

GOWAN, Catherine Ann

Willits, CA

License number: RCP-217 Accusation filed: 4/19/2001

JANTZ, Dana Jeanette

Ceres, CA

License number: RCP-11396 Accusation filed: 4/19/2001

VAN HULL, Barbara P.

Wailuku, HI

License number: RCP-2832 Accusation filed: 4/19/2001

VIPOND, Mark Robert

Palm Springs, CA

License number: RCP-21352 Accusation filed: 4/17/2001

ACCUSATIONS WITHDRAWN OR DISMISSED

Accusation "Withdrawn" means the formal charges were dropped before the matter went to an administrative hearing (often after licensee has passed a competency examination). Accusation "Dismissed" means the matter went to litigation and the respondent/licensee prevailed either at the administrative level or at the judicial level.

Physician & Surgeon

LEWIS, David Stephen, M.D.

Palm Springs, CA

License number: G-55223

Accusation withdrawn: 4/3/2001

MCCARTHUR, Ellis Douglas, M.D.

Los Angeles, CA

License number: G-77931

Accusation withdrawn: 4/24/2001

Physical Therapist

YASSA, Emad Fayez

Calabasas, CA

License number: PT-18882 Accusation withdrawn: 4/26/2001

ACCUSATIONS & PETITIONS TO REVOKE PROBATION FILED

A Petition to Revoke Probation is filed when a licensee is charged with violation of a prior disciplinary decision.

Physician & Surgeon

GARDNER, James Donald, M.D.

Fresno, CA

License number: G-51158 Petition to Revoke Probation

filed: 4/4/2001

UNGER, Jeffrey Robert, M.D.

Chino, CA

License number: G-45569 Accusation and Petition to Revoke

Probation filed: 4/12/2001

Respiratory Care Practitioner

BRODSKY, Ted Marc

Granada Hills, CA License number: RCP-1668 Petition to Revoke Probation

filed: 4/23/2001

BROOMFIELD, Shirley

Los Angeles, CA

License number: RCP-18637 Accusation and Petition to Revoke Probation filed: 4/11/2001

QUITASOL, Edgar

San Diego, CA

License number: RCP-19317 Petition to Revoke Probation

filed: 4/3/2001

RODRIGUEZ, Ramon R.

Canyon Country, CA License number: RCP-11912 Petition to Revoke Probation

filed: 4/4/2001

STATEMENTS OF **ISSUES**

When an applicant for licensure is informed the license will be denied for cause, the applicant has a right to demand a formal hearing, usually before an Administrative Law Judge. This process is initiated by the filing of a Statement of Issues, which is similar to an Accusation.

Physician & Surgeon

HATCHER, Byron K.

Atascadero, CA License number: None

Statement of Issues filed: 4/24/2001

HOSSAIN, S. M. Golam

Moreno Valley, CA License number: None

Statement of Issues filed: 4/3/2001

Respiratory Care Practitioner

MCGUIRE, Thomas Mathew

Clovis, CA

License number: None

Statement of Issues filed: 4/10/2001

STATEMENT OF **ISSUES WITHDRAWN**

Respiratory Care Practitioner

PLATT, Bryan Richard

Newport Beach, CA License number: None Statement of Issues withdrawn: 4/27/2001